

# Sustainable consumption and production for air transport

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#### ICAO

- Develops and maintains guidance on eco-friendly airports and evaluates policies for aircraft recycling
- promotes the environmentally sound management of wastes through their life-cycle, preventing air, water and soil pollution, and consequently minimizing their adverse impacts on health and the environment.

#### States

- Work with the industry to support recycling of waste from international flights. Work to alter international waste legislation to allow the safe recycling of cabin waste from international flights.
- Increase the rate of aircraft end-of-life recycling worldwide.
- Implement policies that increase accessibility and affordability of public transport networks to tourists.
- Support multi-modal operations for passengers and freight to improve operational efficiency and reduce emissions.





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- Airports
  - Waste Management Strategy, which aims to decrease waste production
  - The use of recycled material for construction projects
- Aircraft Manufacturers
  - All members of a fleet recycling association
- Airlines
  - Recycling targets





## Green airport concept – A Best Practice!

- Reduced energy consumption •
- Reduced noise impacts
- Reduced hazardous and solid waste generation
- Climate resilience

- Reduced greenhouse gas emissions
- Improved water quality
- Improved community relations
- Cost savings

























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Sources: USFAA; Schiphol Group

### **Best Practices**

- Singapore Changi Airport uses <u>recycled materials</u> in construction projects, including runways, roadways and drains.
- Galapagos Airport's terminal is made from 80% recycled material from the old terminal and the structure that supports the new building was constructed from recycled petroleum exploration pipes, which were recovered from the Ecuadorian Amazon
- Auckland Airport has worked with Air New Zealand and the New Zealand
  Government to implement an innovative cabin waste recycling programme and
  complies with the country's strict quarantine laws.
- British Airways has put in place a <u>recycling target</u> of 50% at its Heathrow and Gatwick bases.
- Gatwick Airport is building the first <u>waste-to-energy plant</u> in the airport sector



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